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OMAGADOKI ZOO

— THE OMAGADOKI ZOO ILLUSTRATED REFERENCE GUIDE! —

The boss of Omagadoki Zoo, he was cursed to bear the mark of a lucky rabbit from a young age. He boasts the power to transform ordinary animals into something resembling human. His attention span includes only things that are fun, and he's allergic to the point that he risks the look of making his zoo the grizzly and most popular on Earth for someone else. However, he prizes his bags of friendship and camaraderie with the animals of the zoo above all else! His later work is named "KASBAH PEACE!" due to the peace sign he makes when snapping claws off!

DIRECTOR SHIN A

Our lovely zookeeper! Though she managed to land her dream job taking care of animals, she soon became beset by a series of mysterious occurrences, not to mention all the trials and tribulations of managing a zoo! But in the end, she's got more than just good cheerfulness, willpower, and love for animals—she must also put a dash of clumsiness in to make friends with everybody! She's also surprisingly good on her feet!

AKO HANA





THE ANIMAL WHO CAME ALONG WITH HANA AND THE DIRECTOR IS ONE OF THE CIRCUS



Story

While going to school for supplementary lessons, Hana went back to school, where she met a classmate who was approaching all the circus... and who told her something she definitely wasn't expecting to hear: "Can bears talk?" Once again, the possibility of yet another person with a curse floated up, and so Hana rushed back to the zoo to inform everyone of the situation. This time around, unlike their relationship of hostility with Usamidasuke Aquarium, she resolved to establish a mutually beneficial alliance of cooperation with the circus. To initiate talks of a joint business strategy, Hana contacted Onii and the rest, in the process, Hana happened to bear witness to the arrival of the circus carrying human-shaped forms to attack Kikuchi. Hana came to Kikuchi's rescue, but now she's being attacked in turn...?



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HE
CERTAINLY HAS CERSE
POWERS.



HELLO?

CHAPTER 33

THE BLACK CIRCUS



YES... I
CAUGHT
HIM.



JUDGING BY HIS
APPEARANCE...
IT'S A RABBIT
CONE.



DIRECTOR!!!

KISAZOU-KOUJIN!
UWABAMI-SAAAAA!!







I SHOULD REALLY HAVE EXPLAINED SUCH THING

I'M SORRY, KAN

FROM THE VERY BEGINNING.



KIKUCHI-KUN, IS GETTING A REALLY RAN DEAL!



IT'S THE SAME AS MY FIRST DAY AT THE ZOO AND, EVEN WORSE!

IT'S NEARLY FORGOTTEN! KIKUCHI-KUN DOESN'T KNOW ANYTHING!



AND, SAME AS HERE — THE ANIMALS THERE CAN TRANSFORM AND SPEAK.

IT'S A CLOSED ZOO.

I'M WORKING PART-TIME AT THE ZOO.



I FELT AS THOUGH IF I RAN FROM THINGS I DIDN'T WANT TO DEAL WITH, I'D NEVER BE ABLE TO CHANGE.

SINCE I WANTED TO STOP BEING A CLIMBY GIRL WHO FAILED AT EVERYTHING —

I WAS DUMBFOUNDED TOO AT FIRST, BUT

おかし...



YOU
AND I

WE'RE
TOTALLY
THE
SAME
...

ARE
TOTALLY
ALIKE!



WE'RE
THE SAME
...

And in
order to
do that I
thought
I'd propose
a sort of
dance
with the
girls.

And,
because of
that uh, well
there's also this
whole thing
about needing
to rather
nobody in
some way.



AND I COULDN'T
SPEAK ANY MORE
AFTER HAVING
SPOKE ABOUT ALL
THE TIME. AND I
WAS LUCKY AT
TALKING WITH
PEOPLE TO THEIR
FACES ...

AND I HATED
ALL OF THOSE
THINGS ABOUT
MYSELF ...

... &
OH ...

I WAS
TOLD IN
EVERYTHING
I TRIED MY
HARD AT
...



SO I
WANTED TO
CHANGE!



DOING
WHAT I
LOVED.

I
THOUGHT
I COULD
CHANGE
MYSELF



YOU NEVER
THOUGHT OF
GUILTTRIST

NOT
DRAFFT
I MEAN...



I COULD NEVER
STOP SMILING, MY
HEART RACING...
IT WAS A RUSH
I'LL NEVER
FORGET...

SEEING THAT
HELP-WANTED
POSTER
CLINCHED MY
DECISION.

WHENEVER I
WAS BROUGHT
TO A CIRCUS
PERFORMANCE
AS A KID



SEE,
I TOLD YOU
SO THAT'S
WHY...



THE
GAME...

...WE
REALLY
ARE...





I ESCAPED
THE CAGE!! AND
NOW THERE'S
ONLY ONE
THING TO
DO!

FLEET AS A
RABBIT, LET'S
GO BEFRIEND
THAT DAMN
BEAR!



DID YOU
FORGET? THEY
THREW US INTO
CAGES! THEY
CLEARLY HOLD
SOME ANIMOSITY
TOWARD US!

MY
SACRA-
MENTS
GOT
STUCK!

WHADDOYA
WANT?

W-WAIT UP
BOSS! WE
HAVE TONS OF
OTHER THINGS
TO DO!!



!? Surprised

HEY!
HEY
LADY!



BEFRIEND
THE BEAR
—

SO THAT'S
THE REASON
YOU CAME
HERE —







HAVE A
BAD FEELING
ABOUT THIS
PLACE...

DIRECTOR...
SWARAME SAN...
KISAZOU KUN...



THE REAR
THAT COULD
SPEAK...



WHAT
SHOULD I
DO WITH
THE SLIMY?
CRABBY?
JUST LEAVE
HIM LIKE
THAT??

NO
CHANCE
FOR NOW
JUST KEEP A
LOOKOUT AND
GUARD THE
AREA.



BUNNY!!

THEY'RE
TALKING
ABOUT THE
DIRECTOR
AND THE
OTHERS...



Agg
ggg
ggg

THAT
VOICE!!
THAT'S THE
VOICE...



ALL RIGHT...
THAT'S ALL I HAVE
TO REPORT.

!!



WHAT
IS THE
MEANING
OF THIS
!?

MICHI-
NOKE...

!?



REAL...
WAS THE ZOO
DIRECTOR.

TO THINK
HE NOT
CAPTURED

"THE
DUNN!"...
YOU DON'T
MEAN THE
SLIP KID
WAS AT
SCHOOL
...?"



DON'T
LET THEM
CATCH
ON.

EVERY-
BODY!!



CAPTURED
...!!!?

NO-
DUN
!!?



AGAIN? THIS
AIN'T MY FAULT,
YR... I MEAN,
IT'S NOT MY
FAULT, GIRL!

CHASE THE
ARMY... OO
BLUE



IT'S
HARD
TO TELL
BECAUSE OF THE
RAIN

BUT I
WELL
SOME
FURNING!







NO WAY...
COULD THE
CURSE-
BEARER
BE...

HEY NOW, I
GUESS I'M
FOUND OUT...



OH!
YOU WOULD
EVER LET MY
SECRET BE
DISCOVERED !!

I GUESS
THAT WAS
RIGHT
THROUGH
ME!

WHEN'D
I SAY I'D
PROMISE!!

WHEN'D I SAY
I'D PROMISE!!



IT WAS I
WHO REVEALED
YOUR SECRET,
AND YOU WHO
PROMISED TO
SUPPORT ME

HEY, HEY
BRO...

WAS THAT
NOT THE
FACT I'D
PROMISED?



THE ONE I
CAN KILL A
HUMAN
DEATH!

THIS ONE
LOOKS LIKE
AN ORDINARY
DEAR,

WOULD
LOVE
THAT!



MEANING
HE CAN TAKE
ON BOTH THE
FORM OF THE
ANIMAL...

AND
OF A
PERSON
...!

!?



YATAGUCHI CIRCUS GENERAL MANAGER

SHIKUMA

CURSE OF THE BROWN BEAR



BE MORE
CAREFUL
FROM NOW
ON.





Hello. Haribashi here. This is the final volume.

I thought I'd use this space to answer the question I got in large numbers, "Won't you give us the profiles of each animal, too?" Though since there are so many of them to go through, please understand if I provide just their ages and birthdays. Their ages will be presented thusly: Their actual ages, and then their "human" ages in parenthetical.

P.S.: I'm coming up with all of this as I write, since I'd never really set it in stone

◦ **Shishido:**

11/23

3 years old (around 15)

◦ **Uwabami:**

7/12

There's three snakes, so <=> (around 21)

◦ **Gorilla Kong:**

3/4

1 year old (around 22)

◦ **Oogami:**

5/15

1 year old (around 20)

◦ **Igarashi:**

4/20

10 years old (around 32)

◦ **Takahiro:**

5/1

14 years old (around 30)

◦ **Kisazou:**

4/10

12 years old (around 18)

◦ **Chita:**

8/1

1 year old (around 20)

◦ **Kasai:**

1/20

6 years old (around 15)

Chapter 34

THE BEAR'S TROUPE







LET GO
OF ME,
ZOOKEEPER!

OWAH!!



A
HORSE?

AND A
BEAR?



SPOILING
FOR A
BRAWL

DON'T
BEAT YOUR
HOoves SO
FUTILELY...



OH?

WE'VE
GOT A
LIVELY
ONE!

AND
THEY'RE
BOTH SO
GAMING



I KNOW
YOU'RE ALL
ABOUT "JOIN
EDWARDS" OR
WHATEVER

BUT
THIS IS
ALREADY
A FIGHT!

IF I DON'T
FIGHT, YOU
AND I WILL
BOTH GET
CAPTURED!!
SHUT
UP!



NO,
SHIMEDO-KUN,
STAY! YOU'RE
NOT IN ANY
SHAPE TO
FIGHT!



BUT I'M VERY
SORRY, HONEY
I'M AFRAID THE
SECOND OUR HANDS
TOUCHED, SHE
WOULD TEARSH
YOURS.

HOW
SWEET.



YOU'RE
RIGHT....

WE CAME
HERE INTENDING
TO JOIN EDWARDS
AND STAY ON A
NEW ISLAND... AND
NOW IT'S COME
TO THIS...

OH YEAH...
THANK
EDWARDS
FOR MAKING
US HIS
FRIENDS!



AND HE, THE
BROKERAGE
OF A NO-SELL
CIRCUS WORTH
LESS THAN MY
ORIGINATOR.

I WHO
MUST HAVE
FINDING AN
INSTITUTION
CONTAINING
FRENDS IN
ORDER TO
BECOME
HAPPY AGAIN

MICHELANGELO
AND I HAVE
WHAT YOU
MIGHT CALL AN
"ALL MACHEL"

BUT I
MIGHT AS
WELL TELL
YOU.



THAT A
NATURALLY
DEFENSIVE
ATTITUDE!
BROU! I WOULD
KNOW! THE
CURE AND
THIS GOBANYA
CURE WOULD
GIVE IT BY

I HAVE
THE ANIMALS
TRANSPORT!

YESS, IT
ALL FALL INTO
PLACE LIKE THE
PIECES OF A
PUZZLE!

OH-WAIT
WOULDN'T YOU
SEE TOO

THROUGH THEIR
REPTILIAN SIGHT
IS COMMUNICATE
WITH EACH OTHER.
THE PERSONS AND
THE ANIMALS WOULD
REPAIR THIS
CRAFT AND LEAVE
EARTHWARD

THIS IS
MERELY A CONTRACT
OF SORTS! THERE'S
NO MERIT IN JOINING
HANDS WITH ANIMALS
OTHERWISE!!



AAAH,
THAT,
LITTLE
GIRL

IS
ANOTHER
STORY.



BUT WHAT
DOES ANY
OF THIS
HAVE TO
DO

WITH
KEEPING
THE
CHINESE
LOCKED
UP?





YOU SEE,
THIS IS
HOW EATING
MEAT.....



ENOUGH
WITH THE
BLASPHEMY!

I'LL START
WITH YOU, YOU'RE
LOOKING A LITTLE
LONG IN THE FACE
THESE DAYS!!



TO BECOME
THAT GREASY
AND VULGAR.

I COULDN'T
IMAGINE
BECOMING
THAT STUPID,
UGLY AND
MEAN.

ATTAABLE
CREATURES.



SCARED
ME TO NO
END.



SHISHIDO
-KUN, GET
WAY FROM
THERE!!



BAM
BOING-
FAC!!

HIS
REACTION
TIME IS
INCREDIBLY
FAST.





OH MY
GOD... THIS
IS BAD!

HE'S IN
TERRIBLE
CONDITION...!



SHUSHO CAN
DELLER THAT
INTO MY ROOM
THAN ENOUGH
TIMES...

AAAH...!
YOU NEVER
STAND
BEHIND A
HORSE!

SHUSHO
-NUN!



AROUND
DOUBLE THE
FIELD OF
VISION OF YOU
DAWN MEAT-
EATERS

MY FIELD
OF VISION
STRETCHED'S
NEARLY 350
DEGREES!



THEN
GETTING
KICKED TO
DEATH IS NO
BIG SURPRISE,
SURELY?

NOW IF A SCARED
MEAN OLD MEAT-EATING
BEAST WERE TO ENTER
ONE'S BACKSIDE AREA
AND COME INTO
SIGHT...



IT'S
JUST
AS THE
HORSE
SAID.

BECAUSE
IT'S YOUR
FAULT FOR
BEING A
COMPLETE
ENOUGH
COMPLER

TO DARE TO
STAND AT MY
BACKSIDE.



JUST THROW
'EM IN THE
DAMN CAGE
ALREADY.

ARE
YOU
ARE
YOU
ARE.



YOU'RE
TAKING
TOO LONG,
ROGEO.



EVEN
THOUGH
HE HAS
GO
HUNT...



THE
STRONG
PROTECT
THE WEAK
BECAUSE
THEY'RE
STRONG



WILL YOU
STAND?
BEHIND
ME?



I
WON'T
LET
YOU...



**STOP IT,
RODEO!!!**



I JUST NEED
TO MUSTER THE
COURAGE, LIKE
ADI-SAN DID...

I CAN
CHANGE
MYSELF.
I CAN
CHANGE!



**RODEO! I TOO
LEARNED THE BASICS
OF BREAKING IT!
FROM OBSERVING IT!
SO LISTEN TO WHAT
I TELL YOU!**

AND BECOME
AS DEPENDABLE
AND STEADY AS
SUZUKI-SAN!



panic

panic

**KIKUCHI-
KUN!**





YOU KNOW
WHAT THEY
SAID... YOU
CAN LEAD A
HORSE TO
WATER,
BUT...



YEAH, WE MADE
KAKUJURO BUY
THEM IN BULK A
WEEK OR SO
AGO.

GO GET
SOME FOR
MR. KOSHO.

NO WAY...
THIS...
CAN'T...

YO,
MICHIOKE,
WE STILL
GOT SOME
SALMON
FLAKES
LEFT?

NOW WE
JUST HAND
BACK AND
WAIT...

WITH THIS
WE SHOULD
BE BACK TO
REGULAR
OPERATIONS.



OH?
AND
WHAT'S
THAT?

I HEARD
ABOUT IT
FROM
SUZUKI
-SAL

YEAH

RING-
LEADER
...!!

LEADING THIS
CIRCUS...!!

THAT BAHH
MONSTER BEAR
THAT WON'T
SHUT UP



ACTING OUT
OF DESPERATION
LIKE A COWARD
—WHY? YOUR
NEW FRIENDS?



A KIND OF
FAMILY...?

ISN'T A CIRCUS
SUPPOSED TO
DO AS MUCH
LIKE A...?

SHUT YOUR
MOUTH.



OWN
—!

DON'T
ACT AS IF

YOU KNOW A
GOOD-AMN
THING

YOU
LITTLE
SHIT.



**SO IS
THIS THE
CIRCUS
YOU
ALWAYS
WANTED
!!?**



HOW YOU'VE
IN LEAGUE
WITH THIS
THING?!

ABOUT
HOW YOU'VE
CHANGED...

THE CIRCUS-
LEADER
USED TO BE
DIFFERENT.



BUT I'LL
FORGIVE YOU IF
YOU SAY THE
BAGS
WERE... NO MORE
YOU WOULD
BE OKAY? IF NOT
I'LL BRACE THAT FACE
AS ALWAYS
AS ALWAYS

MY
AGENTS ARE
CHECKING
ALL OF A
SUBJECT



AND YOU
HAVE THE GALL
TO DANGER
AROUND ALL
HIGH AND MIGHTY,
HIGHER BEING
YOUR FIVE
YOU REALLY ARE
A CLOWN!!

YOU'RE JUST
BEING REDUNDANT
ADDED BY THAT
DAMN DEAD,
AGENTS YOU!

YOU'RE
GOTTEN ME
MEETING ME...
A "CONTRACT"
...

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!!!!?

DYNAMIC
ENTRY!!!!



!!
KISA-
ZOO!!



GUYS!!!



OKAY

SAVE AOI
HANA AND
HER BOY!!



AH, BUT
SUZUKI, I TOLD
YOU IT WAS A
SECRET!!

I'M GONNA
GET TORN TO
PIECES! DIDN'T
YOU HEAR ME,
SUZUKI??

WOW-HA,
TOTOPO TOLD
ME EVERY-
THING...



SUZUKI
-HEAT

SUZUKI! YOU
BASTARD!! ARE
YOU BETRAY-
ING ME?



BUT I CAN'T
STOMACH
YOU FOR A
SECOND.

I WANTED
TO MAKE
FRIENDS
WITH YOU...



HOW DARE
YOU LOCK
ME UP IN A
CASE

BEAR.



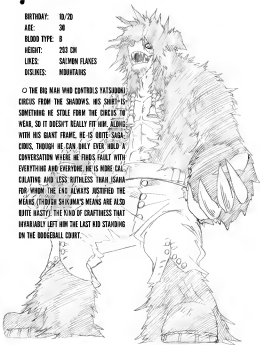
A RABBIT
ISSUING A
DECLARATION
OF WAR TO A
MOUNTAIN
BEAR...

FINE. I'LL
SHOW YOU THE
TRUE POWER OF
A CURSE!

SHIKUMA

BIRTHDAY: 10/20
AGE: 30
BLOOD TYPE: B
HEIGHT: 203 CM
LIKES: SALMON FLAKES
DISLIKES: MOUNTAINS

○ THE BIG MAN WHO CONTROLS YATSUBUKI CIRCUS FROM THE SHADOWS. HIS SHIRT IS SOMETHING HE STOLE FROM THE CIRCUS TO WEAR, SO IT DOESN'T REALLY FIT HIM. ALONG WITH HIS GIANT FRAME, HE IS QUITE SARCASMIC, THOUGH HE CAN ONLY EVER HOLD A CONVERSATION WHERE HE FINDS FAULT WITH EVERYTHING AND EVERYONE. HE IS MORE CALCULATING AND LESS RUTHLESS THAN ISAMA FOR WHOM THE END ALWAYS JUSTIFIED THE MEANS (THOUGH SHIKUMA'S MEANS ARE ALSO QUITE NASTY). THE KIND OF CRAFTINESS THAT INvariably LEFT HIM THE LAST RID STANDING ON THE DODGEBALL COURT.





**HAVE YOU
LEARNED
YET?!**

TO BE
ASKING
QUESTIONS?

HOW IS
ATOP A
PERSON'S
PERSON
FORM ANY
PLACE.

**THE TRUE
POWER OF
A CURSE?
WHAT ARE
ON ABOUT?**

Chapter 35:
**THE ELEPHANT
MEANS BUSINESS!**



I'LL SHOW
YOU ALL
RIGHT!

THE POWER
OF A CURSE...
OF MAGIC...



WHAT
ARE YOU
TALKING--



HOLD
YOUR
HORSES



KISA-
ZOU-
KUN,
UNU-
BAN-
BAN!



WHA-CHAN!
HOW'S OUR
CHANCE!
THOUGH MY
SHOULDERS
ARE STILL
SORE!

AH, I'M SO
SORRY TO
HEAR THAT!



DON'T
INTERFERE,
MR. HORGE!



DON'T
MAKE
SUCH A
VULGAR
GRACKLE.



MISAGO!!
DON'T
JUST STAND
THERE!

CHABARI!
THAT WAS
GREAT!
SO FAST!



SHAKES



OH, RIGHT
RIGHT!

BUT HOW
DO YOU OPEN
THIS THING??



UWA-
BAMI!!



NO,
KIMAGORO-KUN! THE
LATCH IS
OVER
THERE...

KY
AA
A!!



NOW
THEN...

AS FOR
YOU...
THE BIG
ONE...



WHAT
ARE YOU?
A HUMAN
OR AN
ANIMAL...?



I HAD NO
CHOICE,
SUZUKI.

SHAKES ARE
CARNIVORES.

PLEASE
UNDERSTAND
WHAT IT'S
LIKE TO BE
AN HERB-
IVORE IN THE
CLUTCHES
OF A CARNI-
VORE.



OH NO,
THE NICE
LADY SHE
GOT HURT
BAD! RIGHT,
SUZUKI?

FOODO,
WHAT DO
YOU THINK
YOU'RE
DOING?
STOP IT!



HIGH-
GAM!!



RING-
LEADER!



WHAT SHOULD I DO... I CAN'T OPEN THE CASE, THE MOVIE IS TOO SCARY, AND UNGRAM'S DOWN...





STEP
ASIDE,
YOU.



GIVE ACH
HANA AND
RED BOOBY



THIS WAS
A DUTY
ENTRUSTED
TO ME. SO I
GAVE IT MY
ABSOLUTE
ALL.



HRRMM
NOW...



NU-
RYA
AAA
AA!!

!!







KISAZOU-
KUN, ARE
YOU OKAY?!







WHAT'S
WITH
YOUR
ATTI-
TUDE!?

!?



NOT FOR ME
BUT FOR ME
TO BECOME SO
GROSS... TO
BE PICKING
A FIGHT LIKE
THIS...

IT'S
GROSS!
GROSS!

I CAN'T
SPEAK FOR
OMNIVORES
AND CARNI-
VORES.



UWAA
AAH!
I'M
SORRY!



I'LL
BREAK
YOU
IN!!



DON'T
YOU
DARE!

KAT



MOVE!!
RUN!!

HE'LL
KILL
YOU!



WHAT YOU'RE
DOING IS
MISSED UP,
HONEY!

KISAZOU-
KUN!



RINGS
???

EEHH
HHH!?



I'M NO GOOD
HAMA-CHAM.

OWN!

KISAZOU
KUN!



NOW

I'M GOING
TO MAKE YOU
REMEMBER THE
REFUGEMENT AN
HAPPY-FOOT
SUPPOSED TO
BRING!

JESUSING
RINGS, TO BE
PRECISE!



OVER
THAT.

SO HE'S
STILL
BEATING
HIMSELF
UP

EXACTLY LIKE
BEFORE, I JUST
ENDED UP
WRAPPING YOU
AND THE REST
UP IN MY OWN
MESH.



JUST AS I
THOUGHT, I'M
USELESS...
I'M JUST TOO
SLIM...

I WANT TO
GIVE IT MY
BEST, BUT...



EEEE
EHI?

YOU
IDIOT!!



WHAT
ARE YOU
SAB-
BLING?



FORGET
ABOUT US!
FOCUS ON
PROTECTING
YOURSELF...!!

DON'T GET CAUGHT
UP OVERTHINKING
THINGS AND JUST
FOCUS ON WHAT'S
IN FRONT OF YOU!

IF YOU DON'T
GIVE IT YOUR ALL
HERE, THEN WHEN
WILL YOU?



SO
FOCUS,
FOCUS!

CUZ IF
YOU DON'T...
NOTHING
WILL EVER
CHANGE!

AND NO
MATTER HOW
LITTLE YOU
MAY BE ABLE
TO SEE YOUR
SURROUND-
INGS

I'LL STOP
YOU WHEN
YOU NEED TO
BE STOPPED!

IT'S OKAY!
IT'S NOT
LIKE YOU
WRAPPED
ME UP IN
ANYTHING!





HE CAN
TAKE OFF
THAT
HOOD!!?



HOW
INDECENT!

HOW
SAVAGE
...!

I'M GOING
TO BE
BETTER THAN
LIKE THE
OTHERS!

INDECENT...
COARSE...
VULGAR...
IT'S ALL FINE
BY ME...



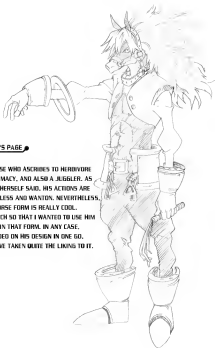
YOU...!











RODEO'S PAGE

○A HORSE WHO ASCRIBES TO HERBIVORE SUPREMACY, AND ALSO A JUGGLER. AS HANA HERSELF SAID, HIS ACTIONS ARE SENSELESS AND WANTON. NEVERTHELESS, HIS HORSE FORM IS REALLY COOL, SO MUCH SO THAT I WANTED TO USE HIM MORE IN THAT FORM. IN ANY CASE, I DECIDED ON HIS DESIGN IN ONE GO, AND I'VE TAKEN QUITE THE LIKING TO IT.



CHICKENS
NEED ALL
THE TROUPE
MEMBERS THEY
CAN GET!

I KNOW,
BUT WE
JUST CAN'T
AFFORD
TO LEAVE
HIM BE.



HANA-CHAN,
HANA-CHAN,
I'M SO
SCARED!



FOR SO LONG
IT'S BEEN
NOTHING BUT
CONSTANT
FIGHTING...
I CAN'T TAKE
IT ANYMORE!

MISAZOU-
KUN, WE'RE
GOING TO THE
MAIN TENT.



JUST
KEEP
GRIPPING
HIM SUPER
TIGHT!

Chapter 36: ANIMALS DON'T TALK

IF HE COMES
TO, IS THERE
ANY GUARAN-
TEE HE WON'T
KICK?



ER..?



WE CAN'T
LEAVE THE
WHITE TIGER
BE, EITHER.

THOUGH
HE'S
RELEASED
FOR AN
OCCASION
AS POSSIBLE



IF I SHOOK YOU UP, I'LL
APOLOGIZE! IS THAT
NOT THE COMMON
COURTESY BETWEEN
ME AND YOU? HAHA!

Chapter 36:
**ANIMALS
DON'T TALK**

WHAT'S WRONG?
YOU ACT LIKE
YOU'VE NEVER
SEEN A CLAW
QUITE THIS
SIZE BEFORE!



IS THIS WHAT
YOU MEANT BY
TRYING TO USE
CURSE POWER?



SAYAKA—
SAY, WHAT
ON EARTH...



SHANNON'S
GAVE...

THEY CAN'T
STOP THE
POWERED
LIGHTNING

THOUGH

YOU'RE
HONORARY! AND
BECOMING

IT'S THE
VISION OF A
MOUNTAIN
DEAR AND
TIGER'S ARM
STRENGTH!

IN THE END
IT'S JUST THE
MOMENT OF A SIMPLE
ACT OF ADDITION



I DON'T REALLY
UNDERSTAND WHY
YOU'RE FACING OFF
AGAINST ME...

YOU SHOULD
HAVE HIGH TAILED
IT AFTER YOU WERE
ABLE TO BREAK
OUT OF THE CAGE
IF YOU HAD THE
CHANCE



YOU JUST
HAD TO GO
AND ROCK
MY FRIENDS



**I'LL NEVER
ALLOW MY
FRIENDS TO
BE MOCKED!
THAT'S ALL!**



NO, SUGAKU
— IT WAS
A SECRET!

SORYO
TOLD ME
EVERY-
THING!

DON'T
PLAY US
FOR
FOOLS,
YOU DAMN
BEAST!

NOPE, STILL
DON'T GIVE IT
AWAY DARNIT!



WHAT...?

**IN ORDER
TO PRO-
TECT US!
ISN'T THAT
RIGHT!?**

**BECAUSE
OF YOU,
MICHI-SAN
WAS FORCED
TO CHANGE**







...
GOD-
DAM-
MIT.

TO CONTINUE
PROTECTING THE
CIRCLE, ALL BY
HIMSELF!

HE TWISTED
HIMSELF
INTO A
KNOT



SCENE



HE DID IT
SO THE BEAR
WOULDN'T
HURT US!



IF YOU ASK ME,
I LOVE THE ARCHMAGE
THAT WOULD GO SO
FAR AS TO CHANGE
HIS PERSONALITY
AND SLAP HIS OWN
TROUPE MEMBERS
GENSELDSG FOR ME!



NOW NOW,
SUZUKI, DON'T
YOU MOUTH
OFF SO
THOUGHT-
LESSLY!



YES, THIS
POWER IS
ALL ABOUT
LOVE!



DAMN
YOU...



I TOOK THE
ROUTE WHERE
I COULD GET BY
WITHOUT EVER
HAVING TO
RAISE A HAND
MYSELF!

TELL ME HOW
THAT ISN'T
SHOWING LOVE
TOWARDS
ANTHROPS?





ONCE I'VE
RECALLED
THAT POWER,
I CAN'T
CAUSE THAT
ANIMAL TO
TRANSFORM
ANYMORE.



THOUGH I CAN'T
TELL YOU HOW
NARY NORMAL
YELLOW TIGERS
I WENT THROUGH
BEFORE I
GRASPED HOW
THIS WORKS.

WHAT "WILL"
...THAT TOOL
WAS MERELY
FOLLOWING
MY COMMAND
FROM
THE START.

YOU CAN'T
...WHAT?
WHAT ABOUT
BARON'S
WILL? HE
CONSIDERS
HIMSELF



WHAT...
IT'S NOT
LIKE ANIMALS
CAN TALK IN
NATURE OR
ANYTHING.

BUT IF YOU
REALLY INSIST
ON HAVING
MY BATE

WHY DON'T
YOU TRY MERGING
YOURSELF WITH
THE POWER OF
THOSE SHARKS,
OR THAT LIGHT

SEE, MR.
RABBIT? I'M
ONLY TAKING
BACK WHAT I
HANDED OUT
IN THE FIRST
PLACE!

AND THE
RELATIONSHIP
BETWEEN HIM
AND ME IS
MUCH THE
SAME.



OH!

YOU'RE THE
ONE WHO SHOULD
KEEP QUIET.



YOU
CONVERTING
YOUR BASIC
ENERGY INTO
STRENGTH,
JUST LIKE
THAT?



THEN YOU SHOULD
KNOW THAT THE
BASICS ARE THE SAME
FOR THIS. IT'S FAIRLY
STRAIGHTFORWARD.

THAT'S SOME
BRACK HE
GIVE ME...

WELL,
IF YOU KNOW
HOW TO DO
THAT MUCH



LANDING
THAT BLOW!

30...

HE
PRACTI-
CALLY
FLEW...



!?

**IS TO
ONLY
EVER
DO
THINGS
THAT
ARE
FUN!**

**MY
PHILO-
SOPHY**





IT'S SOME
KINDA
BUNNY
GIRL!!



アアアア

WAAA
AAA!



SINCE THERE'S NO
SUCH THING AS
A BUNNY-FACED
HUMAN! ALL I
WANTED WAS
TO PLAY!

THAT
THING AIN'T
HUMAN!

EVERYBODY
WAS FRIGHT-
ENED AT THE
SIGHT OF ME.



GORYT FOR
BOTHERING
YOU...



...I'M
BOOO-
ORED!



DIRECTOR...

BUT NO
ONE WOULD
EVER PLAY
WITH ME!



BOO

BOO

BOO

BOO

BOO

BOO

BOO

BOO

BOO



AND YOUR
SHAPE IS
UNFAMILIAR
AS WELL...
SO, WHAT
AIR... WHAT
HAVE I--

LET'S
PLAY!



**LET'S
PLAY!**

!?



I HAVE
BEING ALL
ALONE
BECAUSE
IT'S
BORING

7...

BEING
WITH FRIENDS
IS FUN!

YOU NOW
POSSESS THE
POWER TO HEAR
THE VOICES OF
CREATURES
VOICELESS

CREATE A
PARK WHOSE
ROAR SHALL
SHARE THE
WORLD!



I TRANSFORMED
INTO THIS...

AFTER THE
SMOKE YOU
BLEW HIT
ME...!



!?

AND YOUR SHAPE
IS UNFAMILIAR AS
WELL... SO, WHAT
AM I... WHAT
HAVE I...

DON'T LOOK AT
ME! DON'T COME
THIS WAY! I'M
JUST A USELESS,
VIOLENT BEAST...

FOR SOMEONE
LIKE ME TO HAVE
FRIENDS...

THERE'S NO
WAY I'LL JUST
ROLL OVER
AND DIE...

IN A PLACE
LIKE THIS
ALL ALONE...

I WAS SO
LONELY BY
MYSELF
WITHOUT
A FRIEND

HE HE HE,
IT'S THE
PERFECT

YOU'LL BE
GETTING
SCARED
BY THE
YEAR

WHAT?
COME
FOLLOW
ME?

I'M EVEN
AFRAID OF
ANIMALS THAT
ARE MORALLY
MY ENEMY...

PRETTY
LAUGHABLE
FOR A WOLF
AM I NOT?

OH... WELL.
NOT KNOWN BEEN
A FRIEND FOR AS
LONG AS I CAN
REMEMBER.

SO I'VE
REALLY WANT
TO CHANGE
AND...

**IT IS ONLY BECAUSE FRIENDS CAME TO ME
THAT I'M ABLE TO SMILE AND LAUGH!!**

...OUT IT.

YOU'RE
TRYING TO
HIDE FROM
ME?

TOO
LATE
FOR
YOU!

DO WHAT
YOU WILL.

I WONDER IF I CAN
MAKE FRIENDS WITH
GARGOYLES?

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I DON'T
THINK
LOST NEXT
TIME. I
FOLLOW
YOU FIRST.

HELP YOUR
FRIEND?

YOU
DON'T
WANT
TO?

JUST FOR
YOUR
SAKE.
PLEASE?

GOODBYE



WELL AIN'T
YOUR WAY
OF THINKING
JUST SWEET,
SWEETER
THAN THE
MOST
CLOYING
HONEY!!



THE WAY YOU
DO THINGS—

WHO COULD
EVER SMILE
UNDER THAT?



IF YOU REALLY
WANT TO REVERT
BACK, THEN USE
EVERYTHING IN
YOUR ARSENAL TO
ACHIEVE THAT!

AND WHAT'S
BEEN THE RESULT
OF YOUR EFFORTS?
YOU HAVEN'T
BEEN ABLE TO
RESTORE YOUR
HUMAN FORM
AT ALL!





"TOYU"
...?



THE
HORROR,
HE'S...!



YOU CALL THEM
YOUR "WARRIORS"
NOW, POLARIS,
BUT THEY'RE NOTHING
MORE THAN "TOYS"
THAT ARE DISPOSED OF
UNTIL YOU REAR
YOUR CORSEL.



I STILL WANT
TO SPEAK,
AND ASKING
TALK—!

WHAT?
WANT, I SAID?
NO, I DON'T LIKE
THIS, NOOOOO!



"TOYU"
...?

NOT
AFTER

ボウッ



SUZUKEN? I
WANT TO TALK
WITH YOU, SUZUKI,
IF I COULDN'T
I'D NEVER EVER
CORE—

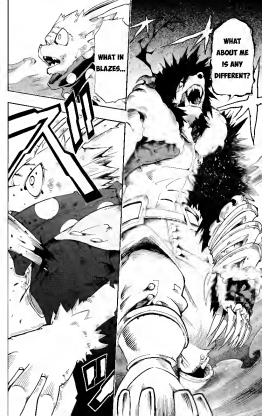
I CAN'T,
I CAN'T,
PLEASE
NOO—



SU...



THIS IS THE
TASTE BEHIND
WHAT YOU'VE
BEEN BURNING
YOUR MOUTH
ABOUT, YOU
LITTLE SHIT.



WHAT IN
BLAZES...

WHAT
ABOUT ME
IS ANY
DIFFERENT?



DIRECTOR!!







YOU...

YOU
POOLS



THERE'S
NO WAY...

IT CAN'T BE...!
THEY CHANNELLED
THE MEMORY OF
THEIR CARD
POWER... OF
THEIR OWN
ACCORD??



!?

EVEN
THOUGH
YOU WON'T
BE ABLE TO
RETURN
TO YOUR
HUMAN-SHAPE
FORMS EVER
AGAIN?

WHAT
...?



ARE YOU
REALLY
FINE WITH
THAT?



IT'S OKAY.



THAT WAS
BOUND TO
HAPPEN
SOONER
OR LATER
ANYWAY.

○ A VERY RETICENT ELEPHANT THAT NEVERTHELESS BATTLES IT OUT IN A PINCH. I'VE TAKEN A LIKING TO HIM EVER SINCE THE ONE-SHOT, BUT MY EDITOR KEPT TELLING ME TO REVEAL HIS TRUE FACE. I DIDN'T HAVE ANY INTENTION OF DOING SO BEFOREHAND, BUT NOW THAT IT'S COME TO THIS, I ENDED UP DOING SO.

KISAZOU

○ HE'S AN EXCELLENT PLAYMATE TO SHINA WHEN IT COMES TO GAMES LIKE SUMO, SOCCER, OR SIMPLY A FUN JALUNT RIDING ATOF HIM



OUMAGADOKI ZOO





DO NOT
LET AN ASSHOLE
LIKE HIM FOR AN
OPPORTUNITY PUT
YOU IN DIRT
STRUTS

YOU
DUMBASS
DABBIT



THEY'LL
NEVER BE
ABLE



OF
THEIR
OWN
FREE
WILL

THE
ASSHOLE
AND
FOLLY
NO
CLUES
HOMED



SHINA

I CAN'T
LET YOU
BITE IT
HERE



I CAN'T
BELIEVE
IT...

THE BOSS
NEEDS TO BE
STRONG

TO TRANSFORM
BACK AGAIN



**IT
CAN'T
BE!**



THEY
DON'T HURT
ANYMORE...

MY
WOUNDS



YO,
SHINAI!



DIRTORY!



BREAKING
YOUR CURSE
TOGETHER!

LET'S
ALL HAVE
FUN





MICHI-
NOKEEE!!!



THAT
CONTRACT
OF OURS

I'M SORRY,
SHIGUMA
-SAN.

I'M AFRAID
I'M DISCON-
SIDERING

!?



I ALWAYS
MEANT FOR THE
CIRCUS TO FOSTER
JUST SUCH A TIME,
HOWEVER WISE,
THAT ANYBODY
CAN ENJOY AND
HAVE FUN.

I NAMED
THIS CIRCUS
"KUSUDOKU"
AFTER THAT
APRIL FOOL HOOR
WAS IN THE
HAPPENING.



!!







OWA!

GET
OFFA
ME!



PUT A
DENT
IN YOL,
BEAR.

I'M
GOING
TO



R-HEY...
E-EASY
NOW...



SACRIFICED
EVERYTHING!

IT'S THE
REASON
THAT
THEY



DON'T--!





**THIS
IS THE
POWER
THEY
GAVE
ME!!**





AND
DON'T TELL
ME THERE'S
NO-ONES
BACK THIS
WAY



DON'T
TELL ME IT
CAN'T BE
DONE.



I DON'T
WANT TO
HEAR IT FROM
SOMEONE
WHO WON'T
EVEN TRY.



FOR I'M
THE ONE
WHO WILL
DECIDE
THAT.



DIRECTOR...



HE KNOWS
THAT GANT
BODY FLAT...
IN ONE
PUNCH...



WHAT...

WHAT AM
I GOING
TO DO

WITHOUT
THEM...



THEIR!!
THERE'S
NO WAY THEY
COULD LIVE
DEED!

IF
THEY CAN'T
SPEAK...



I WANTED TO TRY TO NAME
ONE OF THE NUMBER
ONE ALSO HOP
LAW UNDER THE
HEAVENS

LIVING
AND TRYING
OUR BEST
ALONGSIDE
EVERYBODY...



SHISHIRO
KURU, AND
KOSAZOU-KUN,
AND URBANE
-SUN... I...

WE'LL
LIVE...
THEIR!! NEED
SPEAK AGAIN
THEY'LL REALLY
NEVER...!!









BUT THOSE
WORKS WERE
NEEDED IN
THE END!

I WAS
WORRIED ABOUT
WHERE THINGS
WERE HEADED



YOU'RE
MEANT OUT TO
WORK NOW,
BIG BOY!



GRR
RRR
RRR
RR!!

And the
Draught
will change,
but by lot

From now
on things around
here are gonna get
even crazier...



WE'RE ALL
HAPPY AT MOMO,
SO PLEASE LEAVE
US A MOMENT AS
WELL!

CHIKILIMA
-SAM!



SHINA-SAN,
WE NEED MORE
WORKERS!
PLEASE, DO
SOMETHING TODAY!

OHAYO!

And there's
one more
Everybody
was afraid
of, but



Because
I think it's
our duty
to!

YOU'RE
GOING TO
REDEEM
DROGONS
WE HERE

I want him to
change, too. I
want to change
him, for his
own sake.



TO BLOODY
AND BAWDY
HIMSELF LO... BY
PICKING BACK
ALL THE CURSES
POWER HE
OBTAINED...

HE SHALL
COME HERE
WITHOUT FAIL

I JUST
REPORTED TO
THE LORD OF
CURSES.

AND THE ONE
WHO KNOWS,
BUT WON'T
SHOW IT

I DESPISE

I STILL
DO NOT
KNOW IT.

AND IT
WOULDN'T
LONG TAKE.

THE TIME
IS NEARING
NEAR, IT!

I'VE LEARN
ON MY OWN
ALL THE
TRICKS...

PRESENT
ME WITH CURSE
POWER FILLED UP
WITH LOVE!

IF YOU EVER
WANT TO RETURN
TO YOUR HUMAN
FORM, SHOW
IT TO ME

I SOLD YOU OUT!
SINCE MORAL
DEBTS CAN BE
SOLD, EASY LIKE
THAT... AND HE
WILL COME!

BUT
AFTER HE
ORDERED
ME TO
"SAVEME
IT UP" FOR
HIM...

I HAVE NO
INTEREST
IN HIS
DREAMS,
WIND YOU...

I WANT
TO KNOW
IT!







HAS
A MAGIC
TO RIVAL
THE CURSE
POWER...



THAT
GIRL...

THIS PLACE IS A ZOO THAT TRANSFORMS.



AND... AND MY
TRUE LIFE AS
A ZOOKEEPER
STARTS HERE.

WHOA,
WHAT WAS
THAT JUST
NOW? GO
WINGS!

YOUR FACE
I SWEAT IT
JUST...

MY FACE IS
"HEARD" IT
WHY DON'T
YOU JUST
"HAVE
ALREADY!"

OWA,
PILGRIMS
CARROUSEL...

OHAY,
ALL RIGHT,
(SEE YOU ALL
LATER!)

THANK
YOU!

魔都マシナリ動物園
THE END!

I'VE ALREADY
TRANSFORMED.

HONESTLY,
THOUGH?



EXTRA STORY

"DARWIN IS COMING! MAYBE!"

HOW DO YOU
DO, I AM
GENTLE
RESEARCHER.

SPECIFICALLY I
WILL INTRO-
DUCE TO YOU
ASPECTS OF
HIS ANTHRO-
POLOGICAL
RESEARCH
YOU MAY NOT
HAVE BEEN
AWARE OF!

TODAY I WILL BE
DISCUSSING
OUR LADYHEAD
LIVES AND
WORKS HERE.



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"TWO THIS IS A QUOTE OF A
YOUNG SCIENTIST RESEARCHER
CALLED TOBY & HIS COME."



HER WALKING
PATTERN IS
ALMOST BATHING,
SUN,
ADDITIONAL!

GYAAA
AAAA!

HOW LONG
DOES SHE
SLEEP FOR?

Da-??



7:00
IN THE MORNING

MY MFT
SHE'S STILL
SLEEPING!

OHMYGOD,
WHAT A CUTE
LITTLE
SUNNY...



8:00

GOODNESS
GRACIOUS
AM, IT
WAKES MY
HEART JUST
LOOKING!

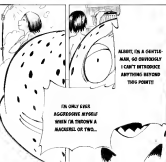
WATCH AS SHE
SAYS HELLO-WHILE!
TASTY FROM THE
HEAVY FUTURE
AND THE FIELD
OUT BACK!



LAUNDRY TIME!
SHE HAS MANY
SPARE ARTICLES
OF HER WORK
CLOTHES, YOU
SEE.

MY WORD!
HOW
QUICKLY!

7:30





doing what you want





OFF PAGE



EPILOGUE: SHIINA

THANK
YOU
KINDLY,
SIRSS!!

AFTER THE
FIRST HALF OF
SEPTEMBER
HOLIDAY
ADDONS —

AND NOW
FOR BACK
TO YOU!
DO COME
ALREADY!

THANKS TO THE
COLLABORATION
WITH THE CREDS,
IT LOOKS AS
THOUGH THE FAME
LEVEL OF THE OLD
WENT A LITTLE —

YEAR, AND IT'S
BEEN REALLY
NOTABLE SINCE
WE UPDATED
THE WEBSITE.

ALTHOUGH
LATELY WE
BEEN FEELING
LIKE DROPPING
A BIT OF
WORK...

YOU HAVE NO IDEA
HOW FAR FROM
ABOUT 500 MEMBERS
IT WOULD BE, AND
ABOUT 1000 MORE ARE
COMING BY THE WAY.

THIS MUST BE
WHAT'S GOING
ALL RIGHT FOR
RECOVERING
HOLD LATER.

MUST BE
CLOSE TO
CLOSING
TIME.

POWER...

THE OLD
TOWNERS
HAVE ALL
STARTED
TRICKLING
OUT.



THEY WOULDN'T
LET US OFF
EARLY FROM
PREPARING FOR
OUR SCHOOL'S
CULTURE
FESTIVAL.

SORRY
WE'RE
LATE!

FW
FW
FW



NOW IF ONLY
HE WOULD
BE SO KIND
AS TO
IMPROVE ...

HEEFTTY!



YEAH,
SOFTY

BUT
LOOK!

YOU SHOULD
KNOW THAT
IT'S ONLY NOW
THAT THINGS
GET REALLY
BUSY!



KINKER
HOMERET

THE PARK'S
ALREADY
CLOSED. YR
KUMABILLA,
WHY'D YOU
EVEN COME?

WELL, HIGH
SCHOOL. OH
TO BELIEVE
THOSE THING,
HARD.



SEX GAAAAAAAAAAAAH



THAT BOO-
DRUM BEAT,
HE NEVER
WINKS A DAY
STOOPING
AROUND LIKE
IT'S HIS PLAY
GROUND!

AND SO HE
SPRINGS
AROUND THE
ROOT OF MY
WOEBIS.







MY BONES AND
TOFFY ARE GOING
OUT OF THEIR WAY TO
TEACH YOU AND YET
YOU DO NOTHING
BUT INTERRUPT!

ALWAYS
WITH THESE!

SORRY...

STYL: LARRY D'AMICO/DAZ



AFTER THE SUCCESSFUL
FORMATION OF THE COLLABORATION
WITH THE CIRCUS, HIS LEFT ARM
REVERTED BACK, BUT THERE
WASN'T BEEN ANY REVERSION
BEYOND THAT.

THE MAGICAL CIRCUS HAS
NOW STARTED COMING
MORE AND THE ZOO'S NAME
IS REACHING FARTHER & IS
ALMOST ENTIRELY THANKS
TO THE CIRCUS...



ズ
ズ

MISS
ZOO-KEEPER!

BECAUSE IT'S
NOTHING MORE
THAN A TAIL
BACK-
SCRATCHING

SHOU-
BA-GAN!



THE CIRCUS
TODAY ISN'T
TURNING
BACK, IS
IT...

WOW! HOW MANY
TALKERS!
THAT FOR OF
YOURS UNTIL IT'S
THE TALK OF THE
FASHION WORLD!



ONLY, OF COURSE, FOR IT TO END HERE! HE LACKS FAR TOO MUCH TO TRULY SHOULD-ER THE ROLE OF AN'CHIEFY' WAY.

AFTER ALL, A SENSE OF CAMARADE-RIE IS ONLY WORTH WHAT IT'S WORTH.

IT'S ONLY NOW THAT THE CUSTOMERS ARE STARTING TO COME THAT IT'LL TRULY BEGIN FROM HERE.



SHIRO-MA-SAN.

HE JUST AIN'T CUT OUT FOR IT.



HE HAS A POINT...



.....

THINKING OF THE WAY THEY'VE CHOSEN...



AHA, YES!!

I BOUGHT YOU YOUR SALMON PLATES.

TO REMOVE
THE CURSE...

"THE MOST POPULAR UNDER
THE HEAVENS" ... AT THIS
RATE, IF HE KEEPS DOING
NOTHING BUT PLAY IT WON'T
HAPPEN FOR DECADES.

HE HAS TO "SHOW LOVE AND
RECEIVE IT IN KIND" WHILE
MAKING THE PARK BIG.









WE WERE
FINALLY
ABLE TO
CONQUER!



I'M THE ONE
WHO SENT
IT! AMAZING,
RIGHT?

OH!
DID YOU GET
OUR MAIL?
(sings)



HEY, WHERE'S
FATHER?



To-Have's a
conquer-
er's son

Angus 3-2
thought,
overweight
3-2-2-2-2-2



A FAVOR



AND IT
CONCERNS
YOU!

THAT'S
RIGHT!



WE HATED TO
COME HURT YOU
BECAUSE WE HAVE
A FAVOR TO ASK
OF YOU!

GLIMPSE

WE ALL HAVE OUR
PERSONAL AFFAIRS
AND THINGS, YES,
BUT RIGHT NOW WE
HAVE BUT ONE
OFFER OF HELP...



WHEN DID HE...?

!

!!

!!

.....

THE PARK BOSS!!



FROM THE
BOTTOM OF
MY HEART,
HOOOOOOO
OOO!!

Isn't that you
demonstrated
my abilities?

WELL, THEN
WELL, THEN
WELL, THEN

ウネ...



I TAKE IT AS
AN HONOR!

WELL IF IT
ISN'T THE ONE
WITH THE
HAPPY
BLADE!

I COULD
KNOW WHY
BUT I LOVE
YOU!

WELL, THEN
WELL, THEN
WELL, THEN



TO
LISTEN
TO OUR
STORY!

WE HEAR
YOU



??





AND TRIED TO
HANDLE THE
SITUATION BY
OBSERVING,
BUT...

I HAD MASTER
SUKAMATA
PROMISE ME
HE'D WOULD'NT
LET MASTER
ISANA TRANS-
FORM AGAIN.



YOU
DID...?"

YES.

YES...
WHEN WE
PARTED
THAT DAY.

I SAID I
WOULD "DO
SOMETHING,"
DID I NOT?



WE SIMPLY DON'T
KNOW ENOUGH
ABOUT ANY OF IT...

VERY
SHAMEFULLY.

WE WERE UNABLE
TO DO ELSE BUT
TEMPORARILY
CLOSE THE
ACADEMY.



PLEASE
TEACH ME!

I KNOW MY
NEED IS
GREAT!



WE NEED THE
CORRESPONDING
AMOUNT OF
KNOWLEDGE AND
HARD WORK

TO LIVE
UP TO THE
IDEAL OF
LOVE.



AND THEN
FINALLY, WE
FOUND THIS
PLACE?
GROWN

HE EVEN LEARNED
HOW TO AROUND A
COMPUTER, SINCE
ONLY SAKAMOTO
KNOW WHERE THE
PLACE IS.

...SO NOW
ABOUT IT?? I
ASSUME,
HE'S OF A
MIND TO
PROFIT.



DIRECTOR...
I WONDER WHAT
HE'LL SAY...?



ALL RIGHT
THEN.....



COULD YOU
HELP US TO
BE LIKE YOU

AND MAKE OUR
PARK PROSPER
ONCE MORE
ACCORDING TO
THE PRINCIPLE
OF LOVE!!!?





AND I DIDN'T
KNOW WHAT
TO DO, AND
HESITATED...
BUT I DECIDED
TO BRING HIM

BUT... ACH
HANA TOLD
ME TO BRING
THE BEAR TO
THE ZOO,
TOO

AND SO I
PUT A DENT
IN HIM, JUST
LIKE THE
WHALE

I COULDN'T
STOMACH
HIM AT ALL



THERE'S A
BEAR HAN
NAMED
SHINUMA!

?



WHAT...



HE'S STILL
CUTE AND
ADORABLE,
NATURALLY.



FROM NOW ON...
I'D THINK OF HIM
AS A FRIEND AND
COMRADE, TOO.



AND I
DECIDED
THAT



WELL, NOW YOU
HAVE THE CHANCE
TO INDUCE THE
WHALE AS A
"FRIEND"... AND
BUY REAL TEARD
YOU WANT!

AND BECAUSE OF
THE REASON THE
WHALE WAS A LIONED
TO DO ANYTHING HE
WANTED BECAUSE
NONE OF YOU GUYS
WERE ABLE TO SAY
ANYTHING!



BUT THE
MOMENT HE
SET FOOT
HERE... HE
BECAME A
FRIEND OF
THE ZOO.

EN -



I CAN
ONLY SAY
THIS NOW!



OF
LOVE
!!

YEAH, I
LIKE THAT!

I THINK BEING
AN HONOR!



WE... WE
ACCEPT! I SEE
NOW! SO THIS
IS THE TRUE
MEANING...



THOUGH I
DON'T LIKE
THE MYSELF
ANYMORE
NOW THAN
BEFORE!

OH YEAH,
AND THEN YOU
NEED TO TALK
IT OUT WITH
SOMEONE ELSE
BEFORE YOU
GET OF
LUCK!





DON'T ACT
OF YOUR
OWN
ACCORD...

I'LL CONTINUE
STANDING
OVER YOU
WATCHING.



SO YOU
WEEK IN A
PLACE LIKE
THIS.



WAKARU?

.....



SURED... I
FELT WAKARU'S
SOULLOCA-
TION

IT WAS
FANT... BUT
I CAUGHT IT.



QUIET.

NO MATTER
WHERE I
GO, RIGHT?



AAAAA...

WHAT DID
HE SAY?

HE'S ALL
FIXED UP ONCE
LOVE. THAT
WANTHER TO
WATCH THAT
SCENE...

YOU ARE UNABLE
TO TALK TO THE
FEMALE OF YOUR
SPECIES!

THAT'S IT, AGAIN!
YOU ARE THE
VERY MODEL OF
AN HERM-WORLD!



YOU
THINK I'M
NOTHING
MORE...





HEY! ANAAAAH!







DON'T JUST
FLY BY A
TEEN...

WHAT?
GUESS IT'S
NO USE
AFTER ALL

OHNO



AND AS LONG AS WE
HAVE THAT CERTAIN
SOMETHING

SOMETHING
IMAGINE JUST
HAPPENED!



DIRECTOR!

EVERYONE IS
CHANGING, BUT

THERE'S A CER-
TAIN SOMETHING
HERE, THAT WILL
NEVER EVER
CHANGE.



AFTERWORD.

I KEEP SAYING IT OVER AND OVER, BUT I CAN'T STRESS HOW THANKFUL I AM YOU READ MY WORK.

AND THEN THERE'S MY EDITOR, WHO NEVER MINDED WHEN I PUT SO MUCH STRESS ON HIM AND GAVE HIM SO MUCH BOTHER WEEK AFTER WEEK, AND WHO FURROWED HIS BROW DEEP IN CONCENTRATION ALONGSIDE ME. HE NEVER GOT EXASPERATED WITH ME FOR MISSING DEADLINES AND ALWAYS MET WITH ME. AND I CAN'T FORGET MY PATIENT STAFF WHO ALWAYS ANSWERED MY ONEROUS REQUESTS. LASTLY, I GIVE THANKS TO THE FRIENDS AND FAMILY WHO CHEERED ME ON, AND ALL THE GENTS WHO WERE INVOLVED IN THIS SERIES' CREATION! UNTIL WE MEET AGAIN!

FIRST OF ALL, THANK YOU FROM THE BOTTOM OF MY HEART FOR READING. WITH THIS VOLUME, THE TRANSFORMATION STORY OF GHINA, HANA, AND ALL THE ANIMALS HAS COME TO A CONCLUSION.

THANK YOU SO, SO MUCH FOR SUPPORTING ME. I CAN'T HELP FEELING GLAD THAT MY FIRST SERIALIZATION WAS READ AT ALL. WEEK AFTER WEEK I PUT PENCIL TO PAGE THINKING FERVENTLY "PLEASE READ!", ALWAYS WORRYING WHETHER THEY'D READ MY WORK, WHETHER THEY'D FIND IT INTERESTING. EVERY DAY, IT WAS TRIAL AND ERROR.

A MANGA IS COMPLETE WHEN IT IS READ, AND THERE'S ONLY YOU TO THANK FOR ALLOWING ME TO COMPLETE THIS "OUMAGADOKI ZOO" AT 37 CHAPTERS (5 VOLUMES)!

AND NOW, I HAVE NO SPACE LEFT. THE TIME HAS COME.

